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FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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IN RE: VALSARTAN PRODUCTS  
LIABILITY LITIGATION

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1 should be ready to be entered as soon as you guys get it.

2 THE COURT: Okay, great. Thank you.

3 MS. GOLDENBERG: Sorry, Marlene Goldenberg.

4 THE COURT: Okay. Great. Are you going to send it  
5 with an order -- just what we did in Benicar, just enter it  
6 and say this is the Court-approved short form complaint, or  
7 was there an order with it? I don't remember.

8 MR. SLATER: There had to have been more with it.

9 MR. PAREKH: Your Honor, the service order  
10 contemplates the short form complaint, so I think just a  
11 simple paragraph in saying, this is the short form complaint  
12 contemplated by the service order would work.

13 THE COURT: All right. And I'll double-check, I'll  
14 double-check what we did in Benicar and just do the same  
15 order.

16 MR. PAREKH: Thank you.

17 And Baren Parekh, sorry.

18 THE COURT: All right, let's go down the agenda and  
19 the first item on the agenda is plaintiff's fact sheet. I  
20 briefly looked at it. It's certainly fulsome, to say the  
21 least, and I have with me, you know, the form that we used in  
22 Benicar, where it seemed to work well.

23 So let's talk about the issues. I guess one of the  
24 thoughts that occurred to me is, you know, if this was an  
25 individual case, you'd get 25 Interrogatories and, like I